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## DELINQUENTS MUST SETTLE ALL ACCOUNTS WITH TAX COLLECTOR

### School Board Goes Over List Carefully for all "Slackers"

### EITHER PAY OR GO TO JAIL

The school board, with all members present except John B. Campbell, held an adjourned meeting at the high school building last night, at which time the delinquent tax lists for 1911, 1912 and 1913 were carefully gone over for exonerations.

The task, while a tedious one, was gone into thoroughly by the board and every individual whose names appears on any of these lists was given the "once over" as to his ability to pay and whether it was advisable to exonerate him from the payment of any of the taxes assessed against him.

Of course a number of those whose names appeared on the various lists had moved away from Charleroi, in which cases it was necessary to exonerate the tax collector, but all of those who are residents of Charleroi will have to give the best of reasons in order to escape payment. However, the question is one that will have to be settled ultimately by the tax collector.

Chief of Police Albright was present at the meeting and made a report on his activities in the way of collecting delinquent taxes which had been placed in his hands. Mr. Albright has assumed a definite stand in the matter, and already has been compelled to make two or three arrests of those who refused to pay their school taxes, and it is likely that others will be made very soon unless a number of delinquents make payment of the taxes assessed against them.

The board is standing back of the officials in this matter, and as the Chief of Police is determined to collect the taxes and those who have not yet taken care of this obligation will save themselves a great deal of trouble by settling the obligation at once. Officials are clothed with supreme power in this respect and are permitted to take the body of any citizen who refuses to pay his school taxes. The school board hopes for an early adjustment of all outstanding obligations of this character, that future trouble may be avoided.

### "PARDON CAME TOO LATE FOR PROSPECTIVE HUBBY

"Pardon came too late. The gent was run down by an auto is now an angel, we hope. I lost my marriage fee." This was the rather unusual letter accompanying the return of a marriage license to the clerk of courts at Washington on Thursday. It was issued recently to a foreign couple from the river section recently.

### BOY IS BADLY CRUSHED BY HEAVY AUTO TRUCK

Thomas, six year old son of Mr. and Mrs. William Campbell, of near Daisytown, met with a very distressing accident Wednesday evening. The lad was making an effort to climb upon an auto truck owned by his father when he fell beneath it and it passed over him, badly crushing one leg, and otherwise injuring the little fellow. He was removed to the Monongahela hospital for treatment. It is feared that it may be necessary to amputate the leg.

## J. FREMONT MIGHT DIED AT HIS HOME THIS MORNING

J. Fremont Might, aged 61 years, for the past five years a resident of Charleroi died this morning at 7:45, after an illness of eight days from an attack of pneumonia, at his home Meadow avenue, between Sixth and Seventh street.

He is survived by his wife, four daughters, Mrs. Thomas Henderson, Sarah, Ellen and Gertrude, and two sons, John and Fremont, all of Charleroi; two brothers, George S. Might, of Charleroi and Samuel H. Might of Scottdale and one sister, Mrs. Mary Allen Gordon of Pittsburg.

Mr. Might was a traveling representative of the Pittsburg Chronicle Telegraph, being employed in the circulation department, but made Charleroi his headquarters. He was well and favorably known in Charleroi and was a member of the First Presbyterian church. He was a former resident of West Middlesex, Mercer county, from which town he moved to Charleroi.

## PAROCHIAL SCHOOLS HOLDING PICNIC AT ELDORA PARK TODAY

The Parochial schools of Monongahela, which closed their sessions for the term yesterday, are holding a picnic at Eldora park today. A large number of the pupils as well as the friends of the school went to the park early this morning, prepared to spend the entire day, and from indications at noon it was evident that the various amusements of this popular resort would be taxed to capacity to take care of the merry makers. This evening the usual dance will be held, and many visitors are expected from all the surrounding towns.

### Real Estate Transfer

June 8, 1917—Lonnie Brewer, Westmoreland Co., to Mary E. Powell, Charleroi a lot fronting 36.76 feet on Shady avenue, Charleroi and extending back 130 feet; consideration $1.

## *WILL ORGANIZE RED CROSS AT CALIFORNIA*

Charleroi's campaign for 3,000 members for the local Chapter of the American Red Cross is progressing very nicely, and practically every committee has so far reported excellent progress.

The campaign will close Monday evening next, when final reports will be made, and if the number desired is found to be short, the Roundup committee will get busy and again call upon those who have refused to take out a membership. The officers of the local Chapter are hopeful that this number will be comparatively small, for the work of the Red Cross is of such a character that it should appeal to every man and woman in Charleroi and vicinity. Its work for humanity, and particularly for the American soldier boys who will be found fighting in France within the next few months should give it such a standing with every citizen that appeals should come from applicants for membership rather than committees seeking people to become members.

This evening it is proposed to form a Branch of the Charleroi Chapter at California. Recently Dr. Martin and Mrs. C. H. Drum have been active in the work of creating sentiment in the Normal town for a Branch of the Red Cross and this evening a number of Charleroi members, including many of the officers of the local Chapter, will go to California by automobile to assist in the organization of this Branch.

The California Branch will report through the Charleroi Chapter, as it will be a part of the local organization through which the upriver department will transact all of its business.

Locally, work of soliciting members for the Charleroi Chapter will continue with unabated vigor, as it is the intention of the committees to canvass every family in Charleroi and vicinity and this work will continue until the campaign finally closes next Monday evening.

## TIMBER IS SCARCE FOR ALL RIVER WORK

Contractors on river work both in the Monongahela and Allegheny valleys, as well as Federal engineers and boat builders, are at a loss to procure sufficient timber necessary for their work. While it is said there is sufficient standing timber on the watersheds, the labor situation is the most serious, as not enough cutters can be obtained. Contractors also say that the scarcity of rolling stock is another factor in bringing the timber to its destination. The great revival in lumber today is centered on wooden ships and foreign trade. It is said that the United States government needs 2,000,000,000 feet within the next twelve months.

### MISS JACOBS PRESENTS PUPILS IN RECITAL

Thursday evening at the First Baptist church Miss Della M. Jacobs presented her piano pupils in a recital. A large crowd of parents and friends of the pupils were in attendance. Those taking part were, Beatrice Greenberg, Lois Jacobs, Ruth Hall, Pauline Collins, Marion Russell, James Russell, Helen Perigrine, Lenora Small, Mary Violet Daly, John Illig, and Olive McKay. A pleasing program of piano solos, duets and violin numbers was rendered.


## SUMMER SCHOOL

In order to help meet the demand for Stenographers and Accountants, we are running our school throughout the summer. Many have already enrolled, others are coming in daily. Call Phone or write for full information.

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Charleroi, Pa. 7-tf-*


## DIES AS RESULT OF FALL FROM HAYMOW

Elmer Sickler, aged 53 years, stable boss at the Hazel Kirk mines on Pigeon creek, died suddenly Thursday night, as the result of a fall sustained Tuesday evening while feeding the mules.

Sickles, who lost a leg a number of years ago, was in the haymow putting down hay for the stock, when he tripped and fell to the floor below, alighting on his shoulders. Dr. Stevenson was summoned from Monongahela and found the man had a couple of broken ribs. The patient was bandaged for his injuries, and Thursday evening the physician again called, taking off the bandages to give further treatment, when the patient suddenly collapsed and died in about ten minutes. Sickles is survived by a wife and family.

## GUARD WILL BE CALLED ABOUT 15TH OF JULY

It was officially announced in Washington yesterday that the National Guard of Pennsylvania, in which quite a number of Charleroi boys have enlisted, would be called into service about the 15th of July, although there was a possibility that the call would be delayed until the first of August.

It is the present intention of the war department to call the Guard out late in July, hold them at their home stations for possibly two weeks and then order them to entrain directly for a concentration camp in the southeastern department.

This program, it is understood will stand in the absence of unforseen developments demanding quicker action. The statement is authorized that the Pennsylvania Guardsmen will spend several weeks at least in camp before being sent abroad.

## BUSINESS MEN'S ASSOCIATION DISCUSS IMPORTANT MATTERS

### PRICE OF COAL VARIES ACCORDING TO LOCATION

According to deeds recently filed in the recorder's office at Washington, the price of coal land in Washington county shows considerable variation. In Amwell and West Bethlehem townships, 271 acres sold to the Pittsburg Coal company, brought $330 per acre; while a tract in Buffalo township brought $200 per acre. The location of the coal land with respect to transportation facilities is a controling feature of the price of coal.

## REV. BURNSWORTH WILL PREACH THIS EVENING

The anniversary services at the Methodist church were well attended last night. The pastor, Rev. C. A. Hartung, was in charge and the sermon was preached by Dr. W. G. Mead. He chose his text from Matthew, from which he preached a most excellent sermon. Rev. F. A. Richards was present and pronounced the benediction.

At the close of the services a half hour was given over to renewing old fellowships and acquaintances, and this feature proved to be very enjoyable.

Tonight Rev. J. C. Burnworth, of Derry, will preach the sermon. Rev. Burnsworth is one of the earlier ministers of the local congregation, but is well remembered here and has a host of friends who will be glad to welcome him and hear him preach.

## HIRAM W. HANNEN DIES AT HIS MAPLE CREEK HOME

Hiram W. Hannen a lifelong resident of the Maple creek district, Fallowfield township, died at his home Thursday night at 8:35 o'clock, after an extended illness. He is survived by his widow, Annetta, three daughters, Mrs. John Woods, of Alliance, O.; Mrs. Reese Carson of Donora and Mrs. Russell Carson at home; two sons, Harris Hannen of Charleroi and Harlem Hanen of Alliance, O. One sister, Mrs. Jane Stroud of Charleroi, and one brother, John whose home is in Ohio, survive as well as a large number of relatives who mourn his loss.

Mr. Hannen was a member of the First Christian church of Charleroi, a quiet, unassuming citizen, who did not seek public office, but who was content to look after the many duties which are connected with the care of a farm. Funeral services will be held Sunday afternoon at one o'clock from his late home, in charge of Rev. E. N. Duty his pastor.

## ARE ORDERED TO LEAVE COAL COMPANY'S HOUSES

On Monday last the Pittsburg Coal company gave notice to all families (not in their employ) occupying houses in West Elizabeth to vacate. Under terms of the agreement by which the tenants of the agreement by they must move within 15 days from date of notice. The notice means that fifteen or twenty families must secure other living quarters. Some of those ordered to move have lived in their present locations for over 20 years.

### Coal Chute at Y. & O. Mine is a Convenience Urged

### FOUR NEW MEMBERS ADDED

The regular monthly meeting of the Charleroi Business Men's Association was held at the Hotel Walfred last evening about twenty members being present. The association met at 6 o'clock, at which time dinner was served. After dinner an adjournment was taken to the parlors, where a business session was held, at which time a number of important questions were discussed.

The first matter of moment was a letter from the Clinton Wire Cloth company, of Boston, Mass., which is seeking a location in this locality. The company asked a number of questions in a previous communication as to a site, the cost of electricity and coal and as to the possibility of obtaining a sufficient number of hands with which to operate the plant.

These features were discussed at some length and the secretary was directed to communicate with the committee, and endeavor to have a representative of the corporation visit Charleroi and go over the local field with a view of locating here. The company will be informed of the shipping facilities which are afforded by two railroads and the river, as well as other local features which may have a bearing on the decision of the company in selecting [illegible] as a place to locate [illegible].

The question of having a coal chute constructed at the Y. & O. coal mine at the lower end of town was taken up for discussion. Mr. Patterson, from the Cleveland office of the company, was present, and discussed the proposition with the members of the association and after talking the matter over with Messrs. Schaffer and Hein, announced that the final disposition of the matter would have to be decided by the Cleveland officials. The chute, Mr. Patterson said, would cost between $1200 and $1500.

The idea of the local association is to have the chute constructed for the benefit of the people of Charleroi, making it more convenient to obtain their supply of coal, particularly in winter time. It is hoped to have the convenience finally installed this summer.

Funds to the amount of $80, with which to assist in the prosecution of the campaign for the freeing of the Charleroi-Monessen bridge were turned in by Mr. Scott.

Mr. Haas, from the stamp and premium committee asked for additional help and Messrs. Beaumarriage of Lock Four and I. Birken were added to the committee.

The question of adjourning meetings for the summer was discussed, but it was finally decided to hold the next meeting at Oakland park on the Bentleyville car line, the latter part of July.

Four new members, Peter Kalicky, John W. Latchem, Thos. J. McDermott, Jr., and A. L. Bowers were elected to membership.


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## PATRIOTISM AND PRICES.

"Can we expect people to be very patriotic," asks the Toledo Blade, "when nearly every penny they earn goes into the pockets of the speculators." And this paper further adds: "The government must take steps to prevent recurrences of orgies of food speculation if for no other reason than that it is more potent to breed disloyalty than themoney of Prussian spies."

Reasons advanced for high prices is that articles of foodstuffs are scarce yet government repoits show that in warehouses where it is possible to get a line on cold storage that returns show an increase of 41.5 per cent on the ingle item of eggs, which are now being stored in greater quantities than ever before. The same is true of butter and cheese, both of which commodities are being held at high prices.

Local conditions do not differ from those found in other parts of the county, but it is hard for the average householder to figure out why one store will sell a certain brand of butter for 42 cents, while others will charge from 50 to 55 cents for the same article.

The feeling seems to be general that in the way of foodstuffs the government should take some drastic action to protect the people from the speculators, who appear to be able to manipulate the market to their own advantage and profit.

Even now it is reported that some capitalists in the east are buying up the potato crop in the ground offering $1.50 per bushel. Apparently the government is not taking action any at the William Penn's interests of the people.

## MONESSEN MAN IN THE AVIATION CORPS

James Herron, better known as "Pat," the well known football player of Pitt University, whose home is in Monessen and is at the Niagara officers' school, has been selected for service in the aviation corps. He is now at Ithica, N. Y., for his theoretical training, after which he will be given lessons in flying.

## MONESSEN PASTOR TO LEAVE IN SIX MONTHS

The controversey which has existed in the Presbyterian church of Monessen has been adjusted, the pastor agreeing to sever the present pastoral relations within six months from June 1st, or by the first of December If he so elects he can leave his present charge at an earlier date.

## ELECTRIC SPARKS

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For this the Red Cross must have—

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* RED CROSS NEEDS *

* The Red Cross needs, at this *
* time, more than it ever needed *
* before, the comprehending sup- *
* port of the American people and *
* all the facilities which could be *
* placed at its disposal to perform *
* its duties adequately and efficient *
* ly. *
* I believe that the American *
* people hardly yet realize the sac- *
* rifices and sufferings that are *
* before them. We thought the *
* scale of our Civil war unprec- *
* edented, but in comparison with *
* the struggle into which we have *
* entered, the Civil war seems al- *
* most insignificant in its propor- *
* tions and in its expenditures of *
* treasure and blood. *
* And therefore it is a matter of *
* the greatest importance that we *
* should, at the outset, see to it *
* that the American Red Cross is *
* equipped and prepared for the *
* things that lie before it. *
* It will be our instrument to do *
* the work of alleviation and of *
* mercy which will attend this *
* struggle. *
* Woodraw Wilson. *

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Commisisoner Root's address to prominent Russians was of a kind to "go to the spot." Through its appeal to all that is sanest and best in the youngest republic it ought to do much toward bringing order out of the chaos and sanity out of the near lunacy of a vast and promising but groping people.


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## PERSONALS

Mrs. Arthur Brantano and baby Betty left Friday for their home at Columbiano, Ohio, after a week's visit with relatives and friends in Charleroi.

Mrs. Bella Allman is a visitor at the home of Mrs. Joe Andrews.

Miss Sarah Kirk of Beaver Falls is visiting with her sister Mrs. W. C. Clark of Meadow avenue.

Mrs. Margaret Anderson of Crest avenue and great grandson Keith Dawson of Bellsville have gone to Uniontown to visit with relatives.

George B. Nelan was a business caller in Coal Centre Friday.

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. Brue Barnett of Meadow avenue a daughter.

F. J. Bethem and A. L. Dubinsky spent Friday in Pittsburg.

Dr. G. H. Smith left Thursday evening on a trip to Harrisburg.

Miss Adeline Fau who was graduated from the Seton Hill conservatory last week is spending the summer with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Fau.

Miss Stella Lentz left Thursday for Kayler where she will visit with relatives.

Miss Elizabeth Bauman has returned to her home at Pittsburg after visiting with Mrs. Herman Lang of Seventh street.

Harold Willis McKenna of Crest avenue is spending the month with relatives at Roscoe.

Mrs. P. Haney and children have returned to their home at Kayler after visiting with her mother Mrs. Gertrude Lentz.

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The Prussian Minister of Education has "ordered" all teachers in the German empire to "hold constantly before the pupils' the 'Emperor's great merits and the indebtedness of the nation to him and the Hohenzollern family." The stunning blows that both have received of late, particularly through the widely circulated war address of President Wilson, undoubtedly make such a policy imperative, but thecomplete success of so hard a task may well be regarded as doubtful.

## DOWN AND OUT INSURANCE AGENT COMES BACK

### HE IS NOW A LIVE WIRE

For a long time one of our best local Insurance men had been steadily going down hill, losing his ambition, disheartened, with no interest in existence, worried, nervous, no appetite and generally played out.

His family and friends were much worried. Doctors whom he consulted advised rest and drugs both of which he tried but with no beneficial effects.

Things were pretty discouraging until the Division Superintendent struck town and looked him up.

The condition was plain enough, "Old Pal" he said, "I've got your number sure, what you need and need badly and lots of it is good old Iron and Phosphate, your body is just craving for it. I can spot the trouble a block off, that pale, anaemic skin, tired sunken dull eyes, worried, nervous look, fagged and over-worked brain, all show the exhausted blood "Take my advice, get a box of Phosphated Iron at once and be a live one again. Wasn't I in the same boat myself a year ago? Say, it took right hold and you could fairly see it putting new life and ginger in me from the first day. I tell you, I know."

The agent's wife made a bee line to the nearest Drug Store and got a box and after one week's treatment box and after one wek's treatment you you would not recognize the man. He had full red cheeks, his body and mind were active and he was full of the joy of life in fact his complete rejuvenation was marvelous.

Back on the job everything seemed to come his way. Business came easy and was a pleasure, he was so full of life and good spirits. The days were short where before they had dragged like weeks. His restoration was complete.

This is only one of the many cases that you can find in our own town. Phosphated Iron never fails to help any case of this type for by feeding the exhausted circulation with its normal food, namely, Iron and Phosphates you strengthen the nerves relieve restlessness, restore the normal functions and that heritage of health which is yours by right, and without which you are a burden to yourself and family. Try it today. Don't wait

Special Notice—To insure physicians and their patients getting the genuine Phosphated Iron we put up in capsules only so do not allow dealers to substitute any pills or tablets.

W. F. Hennings and leading druggists everywhere.

### BUILDING NEW FLOAT FOR BATHING BEACH

The Charleroi Bathing Beach association has awarded a contract to the Charleroi Lumber company for the construction of a new float, which will be used at the bathing beach this summer. The float will be 100 feet long and 6 feet wide and will give ample accommodations for those who use the beach. From present indications the beach will be as popular this year as it was last season.

The C. W. S. A. will have nourishing, but economical food for sale at Haube's tomorrow afternoon and evening. Recipes given with everything. 7-t2

### LOCAL TALENT TO TAKE PART IN PIANO RECITAL

A number of Charleroi people will take part in the piano recital of pupils of Mrs. Lula C. Darragh of Monongahela at her home this evening. Local pupils of Mrs. Darragh who will appear on the program are Misses Lura Wingert, Margaret Berryman and James Bowers. Misses Thelma Duvall and Isabella Dorritz, also of Charleroi will sing.


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Absolutely Removes Indigestion. One package proves it. 25c at all druggists.



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**Notice to Printers.**

Bids will be received by the County Controller until 12 o'clock noon Wednesday, June 27, 1917 to be opened at 1 p. m. in the office of the County Commissioners for 90 assessor's books, 80 Assessor's Field Books, 77 Delinquent Tax Books and 77 Military Enrollment Books, according to plans and specifications on file in the office of the County Controller. A certified check in the sum of 10 per cent of the bid must accompany each proposal. The right is reserved to reject any and all bids.

T. J. Underwood,
County Controller.
J-19-22-25


## UNITED CIGAR STORES

To all our Old Friends and all the New Ones that this Announcement will bring us.

We have taken advantage of a new plan recently put into operation by the United Cigar Stores Company which makes our store a UNITED CIGAR STORE.

Our arrangement gives us all the advantages of buying and selling that any United Cigar Store enjoys.

Our customers get the benefits.

All the famous brands at United Cigar Stores prices.

United Certificates with all purchases.

Our store will open as a United Cigar Store Saturday, June 23rd.

**To celebrate the occasion the following SPECIAL INDUCEMENTS are offered:**

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| 1 | FREE, a Metal Match Book Holder with all purchases unting to 25cts. or over. |
| 2 | FREE, a Glass Ash Tray with all purchases amounting to 50cts. or over. |
| 3 | FREE, a Durham Duplex Demonstrator Razor, with all purchases amounting to $1.00 or over. |

## Might's Book Store

# Wayne's Quality Store

## EARLY SUMMER CLEARANCE SALE

This means wonderful values right in the heart of the season. This is your opportunity to buy good, up-to-date seasonable merchandise at a great sacrifice. Owing to the backward season we find our shelves and racks are loaded down with desirable merchandise and our policy is to not carry over any goods from one season to another. We therefore take every piece of goods in this store and cut them so low that you can not afford to stay away from this money saving sale.

## Sale Starts Tomorrow Morning at 9 o'clock

Ladies' white lawn shirt waists all sizes, waists that formerly sold at $1.00 and $1.25, slightly soiled, Summer Clearance Sale .....23c.

1 lot of ladies' muslin corset covers, trimmed with lace and embroidery, Summer Clearance Sale ..... 19c

1 lot of ladies' muslin drawers, trimmed with lace and embroidery, Summer Clearance Sale 19c

1 lot of ladies' sample shirt waists, waists that formerly sold at $1.25 and $1.39, Summer Clearance sale price .....71c

1 lot of ladies' dress skirts made of poplin, serges and fancy mixtures and skirts that are right up to the minute styles, formerly sold at $2.95 and $3.45, go during this Summer Clearance Sale at .....$1.65

1 lot of Ladies' white and colored wash skirts that formerly sold at 98c, $1.25 and $1.50 on sale at .....59c

1 lot of Jackson Corsets, all sizes .....39c

Ladies' Middies, about 24 different styles and patterns, all sizes. Summer Clearnce Sale price 73c

Ladies' House Dresses, light and dark patterns, all sizes, regular $1.50 values. Summer Clearance Sale price .....84c

Great reduction in Children's White Dresses, sizes from 6 to 14. Come look these over and get a beautiful dress for half the price that you would pay for the raw material.

Children's Wash Dresses, all sizes, dresses that formerly sold at 50c and 75c. Clearance Sale price .....39c

Ladies' Silk Taffeta Dresses that formerly sold at $16.50 and $18.50, are now on sale at...$11.85

One lot of Ladies' Fine Coats, plain colors and fancy mixtures. Coats that formerly sold at $10 to $16.50, on sale .....$7.45

Ladies' fine Dress Skirts, made of fine poplins, gaberdines and manished serges. These skirts formerly sold at $4.95 and $5.95, will be on sale at ..... $3.85

Ladies' white muslin Petticoats, trimmed with lace and embroidery. Clearance Sale price..93c

1 lot of Children's fast color black Hose, regular 15c values. Clearance Sale price .....11c

1 lot of Ladies' silk taffeta Skirts, they come in all the newest stripes, these are made of extra good taffeta, that formerly sold at $5.95. Clearance Sale price .....$3.85

## WAYNE'S QUALITY STORE

433 McKean Ave., - - - CHARLEROI, PA.

**Administrator's Notice.**

Estate of Gustav Fisher, deceased, late of Cokeburg, Pa.

Letters of administration upon the above estate having been granted to the undersigned, notice is hereby given to those indebted thereto to make immediate payment, and to those having claims or demands to present them for settlement.

H. J. Kirby, Administrator
Cokeburg, Pa

Hugh E. Fergus, Attorney.
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Estate of Oscar C. Linn, late of the borough of Charleroi, Washington County, Pennsylvania, deceased.

Letters of administration in the above estate having been granted to the undersigned, all persons indebted thereto are requested to make prompt payment and those having claims to present the same without delay to

Anna C. Linn, Administratrix,
Charleroi, Pa.

David M. McCloskey, Atty.
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### FOR SALE

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| 1 lot McKean Avenue..... | $1,150.00 |
| 1 lot Fallowfield Avenue... | $2,000.00 |
| 1 lot Lincoln Avenue..... | 600.00 |
| 1 Lot Prospect Avenue .... | 500.00 |
| 1 Lot Prospect Avenue .... | 700.00 |
| 1 Lot Oakland Avenue ..... | 250.00 |
| 1 Lot Oakland Avenue .... | 150.00 |
| 1 Lot Oakland Avenue .... | 300.00 |

I. P. HEPLER
411 Fallowfield Ave., Charleroi, Pa.

### ELCO ALUMNI WILL HOLD SOCIAL ENTERTAINMENT

The alumni association of the Elco public schools will hold a social entertainment in Vorwarts hall, Roscoe, Thursday evening, June 28. The committee in charge of the arrangements is composed of Earl H. Geho, who is President of the association, Snyder Conoway, Amil Eckert, Margaret Gibson, Jennie Gray and Anna Cairns.

### MRS. HEUPEL HOSTESS AT SEWING PARTY THURSDAY

Mrs. Herman A. Heupel entertained a few friends at her home on Lincoln avenue Thursday afternoon in honor of Mrs. W. F. Henning and Miss Katherine Minor who will leave shortly for Ohio to make their home. The afternoon was spent by the ladies in doing fancy work.

### HAS CONTRACT TO ERECT PUMPING STATION

The E. M. Wichert Contracting company of Pittsburg has received a contract from the Pittsburg Steel by-product plant for the erection of a pumping plant for the new tube mill, which are now in course of erection near Stockdale.

### RINGGOLD VETERANS TO REUNE AT BEALLSVILLE

Survivors of the company of Ringgold cavalry which left Beallsville 56 years ago on Sunday, June 24, will hold a reunion at the National hotel in that town on that date. The program will open with a dinner and will be followed by short talks. About 25 survivors are expected to be in attendance.

### NEW STEEL COMPANY IN MONONGAHELA

A new industry will soon be located in Monongahela and from the very start is expected to employ quite a number of men. The new firm is the Metro Steel company, which has purchased the old Robinson Machine company plant in New Eagle and they expect to begin th production of high steel within a short time. The company will employ between 50 and 100 skilled mechanics and is said to have a splendid market waiting or their product.

**Bake Sale**

Junior Endeavor society will hold a bake sale in Fleming's store Saturday afternoon. 7-t1

## Renew the Joy *of* Living

Don't let ill health any longer rob you of life's pleasures. Get back your appetite, strengthen your digestion, stimulate your liver, regulate your bowels and improve your blood by taking

**BEECHAM'S PILLS**

Their action is prompt and thorough, and you soon feel their benefits. You will eat more, work better, sleep sounder, and feel new strength after a short course of these dependable pills. They restore healthy conditions, and soon

**Bring Health *and* Energy**

Largest Sale of Any Medicine in the World. Sold Everywhere. In boxes, 10c., 25c.

We have on sale a line of $2 white WASH SILK WAISTS, special price $1.50

We have on display a large line of white gaberdine, fancy cotton and fancy silk skirts. Come in and see what we can do for you.

## EUGENE FAU

514-16 Fallowfield Ave., CHARLEROI
"THE LADIES' STORE"

# TO THE PUBLIC:

Owing to the enormous increase in the price of materials such as fruit syrups, ice, sugar, crushed and fresh fruits, salt, containers, carbonic acid gas, etc., some of them having been advanced as high as 100 and 200 per cent, it has become necessary for us to raise the price of fountain products.

Beginning Saturday, June 23, the following prices will prevail:

**Ice Cream, per qt. - - - 45c**
**Ice Cream, per pint - - - 25c**
**No Sundaes less than - - - 15c**
**Egg Drinks - - - - - - - 15c**
**Banana Splits, special sundaes - 20c**

In making this announcement we trust the general public will appreciate the fact that this advance has come one and two weeks later than similar advances in neighboring towns and that having continued the old prices as long as possible we are without a choice in the matter.

**Geo. Wagner — P. Calistri — U. S. Orange**
**Piper's Pharmacy — W.F. Henning — Frank Johns**
**Hindmarsh Confectionery — Carroll's Drug Store**

### MISS M'CURDY'S WEDDING ON WEDNESDAY NEXT

Miss Helen McCurdy of Monongahela, has selected Wednesday next as the date of her marriage to Harry Larimer of the same city. The ceremony will take place in the First Presbyterian church at 4:30 o'clock, and will be witnessed only by the immediate relatives of the bride and groom. Miss McCurdy is a popular member of the younger set of our neighboring city. Mr. Larimer is assistant cashier of the First National Bank of Monongahela and both are well known in Charleroi.

### LOCK SURVEY ON ALLEGHENY RIVER HAS BEEN DELAYED

Surveys looking toward the building of five additional locks on the Allegheny river above Pittsburg, has been delayed, awaiting the approval by Secretary of War Baker of the order directing the raising of the bridges over the Allegheny at Pittsburg. Anticipating these improvements, developments of coal fields in that valley is already under way. The outlook on the Allegheny river for development is very encouraging.

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